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1. WHO ASSISTANT DIRECTOR GENERAL CHANG WEI-HSUN WILL REPRESENT THE DIRECTOR GENERAL AT THE SESSION OF THE WHO REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE AMERICAS (PAHO GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING) IN WASHINGTON, STARTING OCTOBER 8. HE WILL BE IN NEW YORK OCTOBER 2-5 FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH UNICEF AND UNFPA OFFICIALS.

2. DR CHANG PLANS TO BE IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF, OCTOBER 14-17 FOR CONSULTATIONS AT UNIVERSITY CALIFORNIA (BERKELEY) AND STANFORD UNIVERSITY. HE WILL BE IN LOS ANGELES OCTOBER 17-19 VISITING MEDICAL SCHOOL USCLA AND WILL LEAVE FOR MEXICO AND COLOMBIA OCTOBER 20.

3. DURING STAY IN WASHINGTON, DR CHANG WOULD LIKE TO CALL UPON DR. CHARLES EDWARDS, ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR HEALTH, AND WOULD ALSO LIKE TO VISIT NIH, BETHESDA. HE IS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT BECAUSE OF HIS OWN BACKGROUND IN PEDIATRICS. PERHAPS A HALFDAY COULD BE DEVOTED TO THE NIH VISIT.

4. MISSION SUGGESTS THAT VISITS WITH EDWARDS AND TO NIH BE ARRANGED FOR LATTER PART OF WEEK BECAUSE ADG CHANG EXPECTS HIS PRESENCE AT WHO/PAHO MEETING WILL BE MOST NEEDED DURING FIRST FEW DAYS.

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